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TITLE OF INVENTION: ASYMMETRICAL FORWARD/REVERSE TRANSMISSION BANDWIDTH

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| 2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 33-36, renumbered 1-4). | | | | | | | |
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR
 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the specification, page 1, paragraph 2 "09/501,865, filed February 10, 2000," has been replaced with --09/501,865, filed February 10, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,728,225,--.

Allowable Subject Matter

1. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: the prior art does not teach or fairly suggest a communication method for use in a code division multiple access (CDMA) system, comprising: combining a first pseudo-random code and a portion of a second pseudo- random code to generate an output code, the first pseudo-random code having a length equal to a first number of chips, the second pseudo-random code having a length equal to a second number of chips, the first number of chips being less than the second number of chips, and the output code having a length equal to a third number of chips, the third number of chips being less than a product of the first number of chips and the second number of chips; and spreading a signal based on the output code, wherein the signal carries information as recited in independent claims 33 and 35.

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2. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

- 3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Roberta A. Shand whose telephone number is (571)272-3161. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 9:00am-5:30pm.
- 4. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, William Trost can be reached on 571-272-7872. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.
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